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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed on May 17, 2005 finally rejecting Claims 1-12, 14-32, and 34-105 (all claims pending in this application). Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), enclosed is a check in the amount of \$500.00 for filing this Notice of Appeal.

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